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REMARKS

Claims 27-53 are currently pending in the patent application.

The Examiner has objected to Title of the Invention. Accordingly, Applicants submit a new Title in accordance with the proposal provided by the Examiner.

The disclosure has been objected to for indefiniteness due to the omission units with regard to the percentages for dopant on pages 6, 9, 15, and 16. The Examiner correctly concluded that the percentages stated refer to "atomic percentages". Amendments have been made to the relevant paragraphs to expressly recite "atomic percentage".

Claims 27-53 have been rejected under 35 USC 112 for indefiniteness in the recitation of dopant amounts in claims 27, 39, 44-46, and 51-52. Amendments have been submitted for each of those claims to expressly recite "atomic percentages".

The Examiner has indicated that the subject matter of Claims 27-53 is allowable over the prior art.

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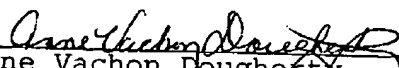
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Based on the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments, reconsideration of the amended claim language in light of the amendments and remarks, withdrawal of the objections and rejections, and allowance of the claims.

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